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House Loans Ready For Applications

Ottawa, Oct. 31.—Across Canada, the home improvement plan of the National Employment Commission begins operation Monday.

Canadian banks in the larger centres will receive applications for loans from home owners who have decided to make repairs and improvements. The money will be loaned on the applicant's note without endorsement.

Special Forms

Since the plan was announced by C. A. Dunning, minister of finance, and Arthur B. Purvis, chairman of the commission, much preparatory work has been done. Special forms have been prepared, printed and circulated to bank branches all over the country.

Extensive efforts preparatory to a national co-operative campaign have been made. Arrangements have been entered into for dissemination of information on all phases of the plan.

Loans up to \$2,000 for a maximum period of three years may be made under the plan. A home owner of good character, with an income, simply applies to his bank manager, stating the amount he wants and the purpose for which he proposes to use it.

His note is the only security required. No endorsement will be asked. He must, however, use the money for the purpose stated. Farmers come in on the same basis as urban dwellers. It is a form of easy borrowing, the money to be paid back on the instalment plan.

In terms of discount and interest, the charge is 3 1/2 per cent discount on a one-year loan repayable in monthly instalments. This is the same as 6.32 per cent per annum interest.

Here's Example

For example, on his note for a year, the borrower receives \$96.75. He will pay back the loan in 12 instalments of \$8.34 each. On a two-year note of \$100.00, the borrower will get \$93.99, and pay back 24 instalments of \$4.17 each.

The plan was made possible by an arrangement between the government and banks under which the former guarantees the latter against losses up to 35 per cent on the aggregate value of loans.

Anglican Church Notes

Service will be held in St. Mary's Church on Sunday, November 8th, at 2:30 p.m.

At a W. A. meeting held at Mrs. Yeend's plans were made for a whist drive and dance in Hedley's hall on Friday, November 20th. Watch for further announcements.

The next meeting of the W. A. will be held on Tuesday, November 17th, at the home of Mrs. James Carter.

ARMISTICE DANCE!

The Irma Branch of the Canadian Legion are holding a dance in KIEFER'S HALL, on
Remembrance Day, Nov. 11

Admission: 40c each person
Including Lunch.
Coulman's Orchestra

Irma Ladies' Aid Bazaar!

IN THE UNITED CHURCH, on
Saturday, November 7th

Fancy Work, Novelties, Candy,
Home Cooking
Aprons of All Kinds
Afternoon Tea, from 3:30 p.m. on.

IRMA GARAGE

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WINTER IS AROUND THE
CORNER
Prepare Your Car for Cold Weather
Driving

Exide Batteries
Prestone for the Cooling System
Zero Transmission Grease
Zero Lubricating Oils
Frost-Shields
Windshield Wipers
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HUDSON and TERRAPLANE CARS

J. OSTAD, Proprietor

Enjoyable Social

On Wednesday afternoon over 50 ladies gathered at the United Church, Irma, for a social afternoon. The occasion was sponsored by the Irma Ladies' Aid, with Alma Mater and Roseberry Ladies' Aids and all the town ladies as guests.

The president, Mrs. W. N. Frickleton, gave the address of welcome, to which Mrs. McMillan, president of the visiting ladies' aid, in a few well chosen words responded. The rest of the afternoon was taken up with two well planned contests, a reading by Mrs. Martin Enger entitled "Mixed Prescriptions", also a tongue twister by Mrs. McKay. A delicious lunch was served at the close, and the theme song "Bliss is the tie that binds" was sung in closing.

QUINTE QUIPS

In spite of the snow storm the Quinte chicken supper was well attended and everyone spent a pleasant evening.

Miss D. Johnson of Paradise Valley is a guest at the T. D. Evans' home.

Miss Smiley spent the week-end with Miss Irene Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kerns spent a few days at the W. Garden home before leaving Saturday for the U. S.

Miss Irene Ross, together with Miss Craig of Ribstone and Miss Smiley of Phillips spent last Thursday and Friday at Wainwright attending the teachers' convention.

The Quinte Crescent Club meet at the home of Mrs. W. Garden on Wednesday, November 11th.

NOTICE

Public Sale of Lands Under the
Tax Recovery Act, 1929

Mun. Dist. of Battle River, No. 423
Notice is hereby given, that under the provisions of The Tax Recovery Act, 1929, the Municipal District of Battle River, No. 423, will offer for sale by public auction, at the Municipal Office, Irma, Alberta, on Thursday, the 11th day of December, 1936, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the following lands:

Pt. of Sec.	Sec.	Twp.	Rge.	M.
N. E.	12	44	7	4
N. E.	12	44	7	4
N. 1/2 S. W.	3	45	7	4
N. E.	5	45	7	4
N. W.	5	45	7	4
S. E.	5	45	7	4
S. W.	45	7	4	
N. W.	8	45	7	4
E. 1/2	22	45	7	4
N. E.	27	45	7	4
S. E.	20	44	8	4
N. W.	21	44	8	4
N. W.	21	44	8	4
N. W.	3	45	8	4
N. E.	7	45	8	4
S. E.	7	45	8	4
S. E.	16	45	8	4
N. 1/2	23	45	8	4
S. E.	36	45	8	4
N. E.	1	44	9	4
N. W.	4	44	9	4
N. W.	7	44	9	4
N. E.	12	44	9	4
N. W.	13	44	9	4
S. 1/2	34	44	9	4
N. 1/2	34	44	9	4
N. W.	36	44	9	4
N. E.	2	45	9	4
S. E.	2	45	9	4
N. W.	22	45	9	4
S. W.	26	45	9	4
N. E.	30	45	9	4
E. 1/2	31	45	9	4
N. 1/2 N. E.	32	45	9	4
S. 1/2 N. E.	32	45	9	4
N. W.	32	45	9	4
Pt. S. W. (6.06 ac.)	34	45	9	4
N. 1/2	15	46	9	4
All	23	46	9	4
S. E.	27	46	9	4
N. W.	33	46	9	4
S. W.	33	46	9	4
S. W.	8	46	8	4
N. W.	10	46	8	4
E. 1/2	13	46	8	4
E. 1/2	17	46	8	4
W. 1/2	12	46	7	4
All	13	46	7	4
All	15	46	7	4
S. E.	32	46	7	4

Each parcel will be offered for sale, subject to a reserve bid, and subject to the reservations contained in the existing certificates of title. Terms, cash, unless otherwise arranged.

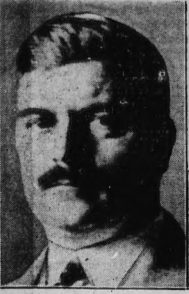
Redemption may be effected by payment of the full amount of the arrears of taxes and costs, at any time prior to the sale.

Dated at Irma, Alberta, this 8th day of October, 1936.
CHAS. WILBRAHAM, Sec. Treas.
N.13-D-4

Named to Head Canadian Radio Commission



MAJOR MURRAY
Major W. E. Gladstone Murray, Canadian-born executive of the British Broadcasting Corporation, has been recommended to the government for the position of general manager of the Canadian Radio Commission, by the board of governors. Dr. Augustin Frigon, chairman of the Quebec Electricity Commission, has been suggested as assistant general manager. It is expected the appointments will be made with salaries of \$13,000 and \$12,000 per year respectively.



DR. A. FRIGON
Dr. A. Frigon, chairman of the Quebec Electricity Commission, has been suggested as assistant general manager. It is expected the appointments will be made with salaries of \$13,000 and \$12,000 per year respectively.

—Central Press Canadian Photo

United Church Notes

Services next Sunday, November 8:
Albert, 11 a.m.; Alma Mater, 3 p.m.;
Irma, 7:30 p.m.

Young people are invited to attend a meeting to be held at the close of the service next Sunday evening, 8th November, in the Irma church, for the purpose of organizing a young people's society. The youth movement has been making steady progress during the past few years, and in the midst of the present distressing world conditions it is one of the most hopeful signs of the times. Local groups take their share in the promotion of the nation-wide united youth program.

—Christian Youth Building a New World
Some idea as to the motive of the movement can be obtained from the following extract taken from "A Statement of Christian Conviction" issued by the leaders: "We find ourselves as Christians involved in this un-Christian world. We cannot escape our share of the responsibility. We repent of our sin. We do not accept this situation as final. With firm faith in God and hope for the future, we declare our purpose to join with those who would bring this strife to an end, and build a world of brotherhood, where God given resources are used to serve all mankind, where co-operation replaces competition, where peace abides in place of war, and where special privilege gives place to justice and equal opportunity to all."

"We recognize something of the magnitude of the enterprise. It demands a new individual and a new society. It calls upon individuals to abandon petty and selfish aims and to lose themselves in the glorious adventure. But we have faith in youth and in their leaders, that they will respond to the call. We are not alone; Divine resources flow through us and human fellowship sustains us as we give ourselves to that task. He that loses his life shall find it. For us there is no alternative; to this cause we give ourselves, and call upon all those of like purpose to share with us."

The sermon subject at the church service will be "Is the Young Man Safe?"
Friends are reminded of the Armistice day service which will be held as usual, under the auspices of the local branch of the Canadian Legion, in Kiefer's hall on Wednesday, November 11th, at 10:45 a.m. This intimation is an invitation to one and all. "Let Us Forget."

"Have you a mixed choir here?" asked a new pastor of a church in a neighboring town. "Yes," was the reply, "some can sing and some can't."

Kissing is said to be very dangerous. It has been known to put an end to many bachelors.

The first 1937 world cruise to set out from New York will be the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Britain which will sail January 9 for a voyage of 125 days, covering 30,000 miles and visiting 29 ports in 22 different countries. Among these countries are Palestine, Egypt, India, Ceylon, Malay Archipelago, the Philippines, China, Japan, Hawaii and back to New York via California, the Panama Canal and Havana.

Kinsella Kernels.

Mr. J. Burnett has returned from Hudson's Bay where he has been operating since July.

Among those attending the Wainwright teachers' convention from this district were: Mr. G. Taylor, Miss F. Syson, Kinsella; Miss D. Fleming, Badger; Mr. L. Cameron, Echo; Mr. J. Gardener, Overleigh; Mr. S. Hafford, Lake Vernon; Mr. C. Haultet, Hill Park.

The Kinsella Women's Institute held a Hall-oven party for the children in Lee's hall on Saturday. Games were played, lunch served and apples, candy and peanuts distributed among the children.

Mrs. C. Turnbull, Mr. B. Davis and Mr. S. Wilton are city visitors this week.

Miss Edith Watson returned to Irma on Sunday to resume her teaching duties at the Ross school on Monday.

Miss Marian Watson, of Head, spent the week-end with her parents.

Mrs. B. Wachter, Ruth and Doris, spent the week-end in Edmonton.

Mrs. H. Koss and sons, Bobby and David are leaving for their home in Detroit this week. Miss Mary Wilson of Edmonton is returning with them.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Strang left on Monday for Vancouver. Mr. Strang has been the local station agent during Mr. Burnett's stay at Hudson's Bay.

We are glad to report Mrs. Carpenter, also Mr. O'Leary, home from the hospital much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wangness, Norma and Billy, spent a few days in Edmonton last week.

LOUGHEED NEWS ITEMS

The Lougheed Social Credit Group held a meeting in the rear of the pool hall on Monday evening.

The dance sponsored by the Lougheed midget hockey club on Friday last was a great success. A "just right" crowd turned out and gave the boys wonderful support. The midgets wish to thank all those who helped to make the dance a success.

Tom Cunningham has been doing carpenter work at the F. P. Ash residence.

Mr. Chas. Sinclair returned to Edmonton on Saturday evening. Mr. R. McClure has taken over Mr. Sinclair's position in connection with the Lougheed hardware company.

The October annual meeting of the W. I. girls club was held at the home of Beryl Kirkman. The meeting was opened in the usual manner. The meetings are to be held every first Tuesday in the month instead of on Saturday afternoons as in the past. The November 3rd meeting will be held at the home of Katherine Jack.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Winnie McCune; Treasurer, Loraine Walmesley; Secretary, Beryl Kirkman; Vice-President, Katherine Jack; Executive committee—Barbara Whyte, Mae McGavin, Irene Gerard, Loraine Rogers.

Mrs. Skoberg is to be supervisor for another year. The meeting was adjourned by singing the anthem.

Bruce McDougall has been on the sick list for the last few days.

Jack Inglis was a week-end visitor at the Roddis home.

For Job Printing see E. W. Carter.

Viking Items.

The Chamber of Commerce held a luncheon meeting at the new hotel on Monday at noon with an attendance of about twenty-five. President A. E. F. Cary was in the chair and congratulated the management upon the new hotel building which he felt was a credit to the town and district. He also stated that the travelling public had expressed satisfaction at the service rendered. The excellent lunch also came in for some very good remarks.

W. J. Brown reported on the crow campaign which had been a success. He stated that upwards of 15,000 eggs had been gathered, 20 per cent of which were magpie eggs, 10 per cent crows feet, the other 70 per cent crows eggs. Over 1500 gopher tails had also been presented for payment. The committee reported a deficit of \$42.00 and ways and means were discussed to raise this amount, but no definite action was taken.

A motion was passed asking the Village council to take up the matter of widening the approach from the main highway at the railway crossing west of town as cars were slipping off into the ditch at this point. The Council is in communication with the provincial department of public works.

On Wednesday, October 28th, at 1 p.m., there passed away one more of the stalwart men and women pioneers who laid the foundations of this district when rough primitive conditions were the rule and hardships were real instead of fancied—in the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Barker, who passed away at the local hospital after an illness of several weeks duration.

The public is invited to attend the memorial services in the Elks hall on Wednesday, November 11th, commencing at 10:30 a.m. sharp. Local clergy will address the gathering. In the evening a banquet will be held in the hall to which the public is cordially invited. Tickets at 50c each are being sold by members of the Viking Legion which is sponsoring this affair. The banquet will commence at 7:30 p.m., and is being catered by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the United Church. Get your tickets now.

"Hallowe'en was celebrated much in the usual way in this town. The kiddies dressed up and went from house to house with large sacks, saying "tricks or treats." Each household responded nobly to the numerous calls at the doors. The older boys did not show the courtesy of the kiddies, but did some tipping acts much to the disgust of the community in which they live and receive their education.

Mrs. Dodds and Mrs. Boardman returned Wednesday morning from a visit with friends and relatives in Toronto and other Ontario points. While in Ontario they took the opportunity to see the famous Dionne quintuplets at Callander.

The clean-up auction sale that was advertised to be held in Viking on 31 October had to be postponed on account of the bad weather. The sale will be held on Saturday, November 7, commencing at 1:30 p.m. Gordon Salter, auctioneer.

Wednesday, November 11th, Remembrance Day, is a dominion-wide holiday and will be observed as such throughout Canada. Stores, schools and business places will be closed all day.

About six inches of snow has fallen in this district and sleighs are now being used. It looks like a real white winter ahead.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Graham have moved from their farm at Jarow and are now occupying their residence on 2nd Ave. east.

Dr. Greenberg, of Irma, assisted Dr. Haworth at the local hospital this week.

Mrs. A. C. Wittmann of Wainwright was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Graham last week.

Mrs. W. McAthey left for Edmonton on Monday where she will make her future home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Michon and family of Wainwright, attended the funeral of Mrs. Barker on Saturday.

A group of Viking young people took in the dance at Wainwright on Friday night.

President Roosevelt, Democratic nominee for re-election, was overwhelmingly returned to office on Tuesday. The democratic party corresponds to the Liberal party in Canada.

Alberta is Short of Fountain Pen Money

By T. B. Windross

Edmonton, Alta., Nov. 2.—Alberta defaulted on the \$1,230,000 maturity which fell due November 1. Premier Aberhart said there was nothing else to do. The government appealed to the dominion government for aid to meet this maturity and was refused; it then appealed to the bank of Canada, and again met with a rejection of its request for a loan on treasury notes of \$3,500,000 to meet the November maturity and also the maturity of \$3,200,000 that was defaulted on April 1 last.

The premier in an interview, after work was received from the Bank of Canada that the loan could not be made, said: "I am sorry we have to default, but we have tried every avenue to find a way to avoid this and have been refused help. There is nothing else we can do but default."

He said interest would be paid on the maturity as had been paid on the April maturity, at the rate of three per cent, or half of the rate at which the loan was made. At the same time he announced the government was proclaiming the Reduction of Interest Act passed at the last special session legalizing the order-in-council passed by the cabinet earlier. The government at present has no intention of proclaiming any sort of compulsory refunding, although there was an act passed at the first session held this year giving the government power to do so. This act only needs proclamation to become law.

Reorganization of the provincial Labor Bureau was announced by Hon. E. C. Manning, at the week-end. He said the object was to reduce overhead costs in administration and to co-ordinate the work of the various branches with a view to increased efficiency. The changes necessitated the retirement of three civil servants who are senior officers. They are Walter Smitten, commissioner of labor; E. F. Howard, industrial standards officer, and G. W. Keedy, chief clerk of the department.

Under the resulting changes all mechanical inspection activities will be transferred to the Workman's Compensation branch; the employment services of Alberta will go to the department of health, which is in charge of Hon. Dr. W. W. Cross; the minimum wage acts will be administered under the new industrial relations board provided for in recent legislation. It is hoped by these changes to save from \$8,000 to \$10,000 annually. No increases of salaries are included in the changes although several civil servants will have their work increased.

The new industrial relations board will consist of Clayton Adams, W. D. King, Deputy Minister of trade and industry, and Dr. Victor Wright, of the Workman's Compensation Board.

Encouraging news was received by all employees of the Swift-Canadian plant at Edmonton this week, when it was announced all pay for them would be increased by better than 3%. A mutual agreement has been reached by the company and representatives of the employees which covers all phases of the conditions under which the work is done at the plant. The higher pay begins with November 1. A strike of 100 employees of the Gainer Packing Plant, which lasted seven hours early in the week, was settled after consultation between the company and representatives of the workers.

There was much disappointment expressed in Edmonton this week over the word received from Ottawa that the department of mines would not carry out its suggestion of paying \$25,000 as a beginning on the scheme to build a road from McMurray to Goldfields. It is said in Ottawa dispatches that the department was impressed by the difference in cost between construction of the new road and improvement of river transportation to the north.

There has been strong opposition to the new road from transportation companies. It is said, and while there are no indications that Ottawa was influenced by this, the views of the ministry in the federal cabinet have undergone a change. Hon. Mr. Crean having favored the roadway plan when here and said he saw no difficulties in the way of its construction.

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The Wheat Problem

What to do about wheat is the greatest poser facing the Western Canadian farmer, not only for the immediate present, but for the long range future. Should he grow more, or should he grow less, or perchance, should he forget about wheat and turn his attention to other crops and other activities?

It is safe to say that this problem causes more sleepless nights on the Western Canadian prairies than anything else. It is probably not far from the truth to say that the question is uppermost in the mind of the average tiller of the soil the greater part of his waking hours and that during the night it perturbs his slumbers.

The farmer seeking the solution of the problem can get plenty of data which has a bearing on the subject and a plethora of advice without going far afield for it, but unfortunately for him and for his peace of mind so many complications are involved in the answer to the question and so many, so diverse and contradictory are the replies that the greater his research, the greater must be his confusion and the farther he is away from a conclusive solution.

To solve the problem with even a remote degree of assurance, the interrogator must not only be in possession of an immense amount of current available information but he must also be something of a prophet. He must be able to peer into the crystal of the future and divine what is ahead.

As there are no infallible methods of determining the unknown factors of production and marketing, he must make his guess as best he can and shape his course accordingly.

If he guesses right and successfully runs the gamut of early and late frosts, grasshoppers, wire worms, cutworms, thistles and other noxious weeds, windstorms and hail, rust and other blight and pulls off a crop, he is faced with the possibility that it may be a drug on the market and that the reward of his labors may be little better than zero.

Added to all these and many other unrecorded uncertainties and handicaps comes a new threat to the existence of cereal farming as it is practised on the prairies in the form of grain produced on an intensive scale under factory conditions and without the use of soil as a medium, a method discovered by two Englishmen after four and a half years of research and now being tested on a commercial basis.

To quote a Magazine Digest summary of an article appearing in the Sunday Express of London, "The inventors claim that under their scheme which they call 'cabinet culture', one acre of floor space is equal to 1,760 acres of grass land; sixpenny-worth of seed will grow 200 hundredweight of green fodder; one crop of fodder can be produced per day instead of one per year; a farmer feeding intensively cultivated corn instead of hay and grass to his livestock will save \$2.50 on every pig brought to bacon weight, \$5 on every bullock, and from 15 to 20 per cent. on milk production because they will be eating young, fresh food instead of old or dried grass which has been weakened of its vitamins."

"The inside of the cabinet contains rows of trays, each one with corn in a different stage of growth. To-day's tray holds seed. Yesterday's shows the white shoots. The shoots are larger and larger up to the tenth day when the fodder is full grown and ready to be taken out and eaten."

"There is no soil. On top of the cabinet is a tank full of water containing a small proportion of a chemical solution. The chemicals are those of which the soil consists. Enough solution to last a month costs \$3.75."

"In the bottom of the tank are small holes. For three minutes every 24 hours a tap is turned on and the tank drops 'rain' on to the top layer of trays. By the tenth day the growth can be lifted out of the tray like a grass-grown mat. The animals eat every scrap of it and the tray is left perfectly clean. There is no earth or dirt of any kind in the whole process."

"Animals fed on these intensive crops can be kept in yards or barns."

It is reported that already efforts are being made to establish an agency and import some of these "factory-farms" to Western Canada.

If the inventors' claims for this method of growing crops can be demonstrated as commercially feasible and economical no doubt the next step will be to improve the system to enable it to bring wheat to maturity, and if that can be done with success one wonders what will happen to the wide expanse of grain fields which constitute such a large section of the prairie provinces and what will happen to the investment in capital and labor which the farmers have sunk in hundreds of thousands of acres.

There is just one consolation for the prairie farmer and that is the fact that the scheme has not been proven a commercial possibility. Quod erat demonstrandum.

Raw silk sales in Japan show a large increase compared with last years change of temperature and to moisture.

The mushroom is very sensitive to moisture.

PURTY FLOUR
More Bread—and Better Bread
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Man With Dual Brain

Can Do Two Entirely Different Things At Once

There is a man in Sydney, N.S.W., who can do two entirely different things at once, and do them well. He is Stirling Wilkinson, known to his friends as the man with the "dual brain."

Among other accomplishments, he can write different words and sentences 'simultaneously' with both hands. He can write the same word backwards. He can also do two separate drawings at the same time.

As a bookkeeper he will be particularly envied as he can make simultaneous entries—the figures with one hand and the items with the other.

Wilkinson says that he was born that way. As a child, he found that he was writing backwards with his left hand—to the discomfort of his teachers, who had to use a mirror to read his writing. Specialists who examined him, decided that he had a disease of the brain. To induce correct writing with the right hand, they strapped his left arm to his body.

When he entered college, he jealously guarded his secret. After a time, he committed some misdemeanor and was given 400 lines to write. "By using both hands at once he completed the task in half the time taken by the other boys. The astonished master accused him of having another boy to help him, and then Wilkinson, had to explain his ability to do two things at once. After that his detention was double that of the other boys."

Cause Of Cataracts Unknown

Certain Food Extracts Said To Have Effect On Eye Malady

The cause of cataracts, which has baffled the medical world for centuries, was believed to be a step nearer solution with the discovery by Dr. Agnes Pay Morgan, chairman of the department of household science at the University of California, and Bessie B. Cook, a graduate student, that certain food extracts have a material effect on the eye malady.

In a report to the society for experimental biology, Dr. Morgan said her experiments showed that presence of lactose or galactose in the intestine, and frequent gastro-intestinal absorption difficulties associated with a deficiency of vitamin G offer a possible common attack on the eye malady.

In lactose and low vitamin G diet tests, there was a hundred per cent. incidence of cataract," the report said. "Likewise the lactose fed controls grew at about 60 per cent. of a group of cornstarch fed controls."

Dr. Morgan said the cause of cataracts is unknown but that the determination of the cause has moved a step in advance in the possible future prevention of the disorder.

Girl Pat Escapade

Skipper And His Brother Convicted In Old Bailey Court

George Osborne, skipper of the wandering trawler, Girl Pat, and his brother, James, were convicted in Old Bailey court in London of theft of the vessel. George was sentenced to 18 months in prison and James, formerly of Toronto, to 12 months.

The Girl Pat put out from Grimsby last April, ostensibly on a fishing expedition. She put in along the Spanish coast, at the Canary Islands, and in West Africa. She was reported off French Guiana and finally was captured in June off British Guiana.

World's Dairy Congress

Will Be Held In Berlin, Germany, Next August

Canada will be officially represented at the 11th World's Dairy Congress to be held in Berlin, Germany, from August 22 to 28, 1937. This congress, which meets every three years, is the most important gathering of representatives of the dairy industry in the world. An international dairy exhibition will also be held in connection with the congress at which the very latest developments in the dairy industry throughout the world will be shown.

The London directory contains the names of about 250 dealers in cat-meat.

Pockets are better than a handbag. You aren't forever wondering where you left your pockets.

In Japan, amateur baseball games attract crowds of 50,000 persons.

Australia now has 700,000 automobiles in use.

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You can feel the tingle as Vapo-r-nol s-p-r-e-a-d-s through the trouble zone in your nose and upper throat. Vapo-r-nol is specially designed to stimulate Nature's defenses in this area. Used in time, Vapo-r-nol helps to prevent many a common cold from developing... and to throw off head colds in the early stages.

Quickly relieves "Stuffy Head"

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Home Improvement Plan

Unemployed Building Trades' Workers Can Look About For Work

The government's new home improvement plan will give the unemployed building trades' workers a chance to approach his problem of finding a job in an entirely new way. It was stated at the national employment commission.

The commission suggested out-of-work members of building trades unions can now look about them, find homes in need of repairs, estimate the cost of making improvements and tell the owner how much money he needs and how he can get it. In the case of farmers, there is nothing to prevent them borrowing money to buy materials and doing the work themselves.

Under the regulations, money will be loaned on the basis of character and income. A farmer who can fulfill these requirements to the satisfaction of his bank manager will be in a position to borrow money for the purchase of materials no matter whether he does the work himself or hires labor to do it. While the home improvement plan is basically designed to provide employment, the purchase of materials by the farmer, even if he does the work himself will, it is considered by the commission, accomplish this purpose.

Ancient Rome's famous Baths of Diocletian could accommodate 3,200 bathers at one time.

Don't forget that the fellow who has to raise money for the payroll has one more worry than you.

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For almost three and a half months, she plowed the Hudson Straits, guiding 15 vessels through the narrows, to and from the Manitoba port. During that time she saw one wreck; saw the freighter Avon River, disabled in a gale, washed ashore. The storm, last September, raged for three days and the McLean stood by the helpless grain carrier 48 hours before attempting to rescue the crew and later place them aboard the steamship Firby.

From remote points in the north, the McLean brought back eight wireless operators, stationed for a year at their lonely outposts.

She also brought back Gabriel Behant, 23-year-old boatswain from the Charles L.D., stricken by appendicitis as the French freighter made her way up the straits. The French seaman was brought aboard the McLean, and Dr. Ferdinand Lizotte performed an emergency operation in his cabin.

The patient was reported recovered, and it was expected he would leave shortly for France.

At lonely Sigluk harbor, in the straits, the McLean put in to provide medical treatment for more than a score of Eskimos, stricken by influenza. Four of the group died before the vessel arrived, but Dr. Lizotte reported recovery of the others after medical treatment.

World Jewish Problem

The Jewish Population Of Poland Is 3,500,000

The world Jewish problem took on new complications at Geneva with a Polish demand that the League of Nations find a home somewhere else for the Polish Jews.

M. Komaricki, the Polish delegate, told the League assembly's political committee that while Palestine was the natural and principal home for the Jews, other places must be found as an asylum for the "immense reservoir of Jewish population inhabiting Central and Eastern Europe."

The Jewish population of Poland is 3,500,000.

The government moved at Jerusalem to end sabotage by arresting 36 Arabs and accusing 15 more of damaging the Iraq Petroleum Company pipeline. Brigands have in the past continually destroyed sections of the pipeline and fired the escaping oil.

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Provincial relief grants to the town of Hawkesbury, in eastern Ontario, will be reduced nearly \$5,580, because investigation of relief administration had shown "another municipality squandering provincial funds on unneeded assistance," Welfare Minister Croll announced.

The town seems to have been running wild in relief administration in the easy confidence we'd foot the bills," he said. "They're in for a job. Every mispent cent will be charged back to their own taxpayers."

Some relief recipients were driving their own cars, the minister said. An investigator found people operating their own businesses on relief, offering unfair competition to rivals. Investigators found a number of instances where people closed out bank accounts to go on relief.

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CHAPTER VII.—Continued

"You cad!" Her eyes blazed with black rage. In that moment she was all fighting spirit. She struck him stinging across his hard young face.

Then they were standing there, their bodies tense with anger. Scant inches between them, and their faces glaring at each other, like two who have begun a feud to the death. The marks of the girl's fingers showed white against the man's tanned cheeks.

The thin hard line of his jaw marked his determination. He meant to win. He said, still in that harsh voice:

"I won't let you back out now! You've started this thing and you've got to go through with it. Do you suppose I'm going to allow you to make a fool of me before everybody?"

Starr's throat was aching and tight. By "everybody" he meant Stephanie, of course. The little sapphire-eyed blond was all he cared about. This whole mad farce was being played for her—for Stephanie who had twice cruelly insulted Starr!

She hurled at him bitterly: "You don't care what you do to a woman, do you? You don't care if the whole world thinks she's—she's— Oh, you know what they think!"

His lips curved contemptuously. "Getting rather particular all of a sudden, aren't you? It occurs to me you may not always have been so careful of your spotless reputation."

He laughed, with no trace of humor. "And you! I thought you wanted to play? You said so. . . I've raised you from obscurity and given you a chance a million other girls might have jumped at. I've given you power—if you know how to use it!"

A curious feeling swept through Starr. Yes, that was true. He had given her power, of a sort. But she was letting it slip away from her because of forbidden emotions. If she could only really be the hard, scintillating siren he wanted her to be!

A little while ago she had looked like a puppet dancing on the end of a string. It struck her now she could turn the tables if she chose. She could be the one handling the strings. She could make all these people dance for her; Stephanie, Lance, yes, even the arrogant Michael. Especially Michael!

A savage joy shook her at the thought of making things even with Michael. In that moment, how she hated him! A wild, primitive passion of hate that would have done credit to the daughters of the desert, of whom she was synthetically one, surged through her slight body.

Her smile flashed into his angry face. The mocking, painted smile that was essentially the trademark of the notorious "Play-Girl," the supposedly part-Egyptian whose heritage it was to lure.

"All right, Michael-Hassan, I'll go through with it," she said. "I'll play! Perhaps when I'm finished you'll be sorry that you asked me!"

Starr Ellison did not leave her debut party as Lance Marlowe had thought perhaps might be her intention. Instead, she burst on the throng gathered to do her a curious sort of homage with new energy and vim. There was no reason for anybody to pull the strings. Starr danced. She could not keep still. Her flying feet played all over the great ballroom and she was the centre of every group where there was any particular excitement.

It was while the merriment was at its height, and the blasé newsmen who had dropped in were being surprised that it was not "just another party thrown for a would-be celebrity" that she sang for them all. A song of Araby, a desert song of the variety none of them had ever heard. One of the consensus of opinion was that it must be "one of those tribal songs that had come down through the centuries, my dear."

She sang it to her own accompaniment, playing the harp when she pre-empted it from its owner in the orchestra. Michael's eyes widened when he saw her. Another accomplishment! Gad, that girl was a continual surprise. Where had she ever learned all the things she knew? He was beginning to wonder about her a little, in spite of having told her he had no interest in her save from the moment of meeting her.

The song she sang "made" the papers the next day, along with an account of the debut party of "Play-Girl."



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METHOD: Dissolve yeast in lukewarm water. Scald milk; add 1 tablespoon sugar and the salt. Add to lukewarm. Combine with yeast mixture; add 1½ cups flour; beat until perfectly smooth. Cover and let in warm place until light (about 30 minutes). Cream the butter; add sugar, salt and eggs; beat until smooth. Add to first mixture. Stir in remaining flour; this should make a stiff dough. Knead until smooth and elastic. Place in greased bowl, cover and let rise double in bulk. Punch down to release gas bubbles. Turn on floured board and again knead lightly. Roll into rectangular roll, cut in 4 strips to within one-half inch of the end. Wind and place on greased baking sheet. Let rise again in warm place until light (about 15 minutes); reduce heat and finish baking. When cool, cut with the following: *Scatter time for making this bread is approximately 1 hour.*

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"The love of women is like a gazelle that comes to drink — To drink at the water springs —"

"The love of women is like the narghileh, — The narghileh, and the dust of the keft That is mingled with tobacco and honey."

Put the red between thy lips, O loving man! And draw dreams from the hashish that is the love of women!"

CHAPTER VIII.

Michael Fairbourne stood alone at one end of a long, luxurious room, twirling a tiny glass absently in his strong fingers.

It was the hour which once was the tea hour, but which long since has been subtly transformed into the cocktail hour, first by Manhattan's smart younger set, then by the consensus of popular agreement everywhere.

A Japanese butler passed silently with his filled tray among the laughing groups clustered around couches or in little huddles around fireplace or piano, according to notion. In front of a buffet, two or three who fancied their own mixing were giving exhibitions of their prowess with the shaker. Some one's fingers ran lightly over the keyboard in an improvised melody of popular tunes.

Old by now, but they seemed to like it in lieu of a never lilt to take the public fancy. A second butler was as busy with his tray of little sandwiches, caviar and foie gras tidbits as the drink server. A typical Manhattan cocktail hour scene.

This particular scene had as its background Lance Marlowe's penthouse apartment, although it might have been the apartment of almost any of the dozen or more men present, so familiar was the gay setting.

Stephanie Dale was not there. Stephanie had remarked quite definitely:

"I simply refuse to go anywhere where that 'Play-Girl' creature is to be the guest of honor, and that's emphatic. It nauseates me to see all the men swarming around her like moths. If that's the lure of Egypt! Really, sometimes when I see those long eyes of hers that they're all so

fond of calling 'mysterious,' I can't help wondering if she's quite white. Are Egyptians white people? And as for the rest of it. . . Well, you can't expect me, Mike, to play second fiddle to a—"

It was rather horrible hearing such a name pass Stephanie's pretty lips. Michael was surprised afterward at the swift way he turned to scold her. He did not quite understand his own reaction, whether his resentment was for Starr, or against Stephanie's use of English that could be more expected in the pages of a Dashiell Hammet story. Stephanie had been as plain as that.

After all, who was he to say whether Stephanie was right or wrong? He certainly had had ideas of his own on first knowing Starr Ellison. At first he had been so sure.

More recently he had regretted his blunt pronouncement to her that he wanted to know nothing of her past life, that she was beginning to live, as far as he was concerned, on the night he first met her at La Luna. There might have been a reason, at that. . . And Starr had become so difficult. Once she had appeared to want to tell him all about herself. He had discouraged her. Now, when he tried to get anything out of her at all, all he did get was that slow smile of hers, the flicker of her long lashes, the enigmatic look, and her reminder:

"I forget, Hassan. You told me to you know. . . And you haven't forgotten? I'm from the desert, you know, and in the desert one forgets everything, one remembers nothing any more."

Tearing him, of course, but he was beginning to wish he did know more about this girl who looked so like an Egyptian princess that she fitted inevitably into the setting of her own apartment he had furnished her, and yet was so ultra-modern—so American. . . Who was she, anyway? What?

Many people were asking that, especially as touched upon her relationship with Lance Marlowe. There were many who chose to believe she was Lance's mistress. She went around with him with a blatant disregard for gossip; seemed to glory in it.

Yet there were times, when she was off guard for a moment or two, that an almost childlike wistfulness haunted her great, dark eyes. At such times Michael would have staked his life that she was the purest soul on earth, completely routing all his preconceived ideas of her. Why, he could not have told for the life of

But there were other times when the age-old allure of the siren flamed itself in every line of her face and body. At such moments Michael could have believed anything of her. And did.

(To Be Continued)

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Valuable Sealskins Found Floating In Ice Field Region

Thousands of dollars worth of sealskins, floating in the icefield region of the St. Lawrence, were left drifting by the skipper of a passenger vessel because schedules had to be maintained, and the skipper could not take advantage of what represented a tidy sum in salvage, it is reported at Quebec.

Captain E. J. Rodgers, now in charge of the Alouina, tells the tale. "It was a brilliantly bright day with a blazing sun shining down on the scattered ice-fields, causing them to sparkle and shine like diamonds under an arc lamp. A light haze hung over the entire scene, and the rays of the sun picked out two bergs in the distance, causing them to stand out like beacons.

"We were steaming along through the ice-fields when we suddenly saw, on a large cake of ice on our port bow, a huge pile of sealskins surmounted by a stick from which flew a white flag. There must have been at least 8,000 or 9,000 skins in the pile, representing a large sum of money. We felt a strong inclination to bend out the boat and to take them aboard, as the salvage money would have amounted to a tidy sum. But we were on a passenger ship, not a pleasure yacht, so we were obliged to keep on going and pass up a good opportunity.

"We proceeded along for some distance when, to our surprise, another cake of ice appeared on the starboard side, with an almost identical pile of sealskins and also topped by a stick bearing a flag. Once more we were obliged to pass by.

"It is believed the skins were collected by Eskimo hunters who were either killed or who had to flee when the ice broke away, while the fruits of their labors were carried away through the ice track, to finally go to the bottom as the ice disintegrated, unless they were found by other hunters and taken into shore."

No Change in Oath

Will Not Alter Religious Part Of Coronation Of The King

Prime Minister Baldwin has assured the Protestant society there is no proposal to alter the religious part of the coronation oath relating to the Church of England and the Protestant reformed religion.

The fact is that it could not be changed without an act of parliament. It has been altered since 1688 only to allow for the union with Scotland and the disestablishment of the Irish church.

Any fresh change will only be made to provide for the new status of the Dominions under the statute of Westminster, a matter entirely apart from the question of reformed religion.

Emperor Hirohito will be represented at the coronation of King Edward VIII. by Prince and Princess Chichibu, who will sail for London in the spring.

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Remembrance Day
November 11th

November 11th is the national day of Remembrance, dedicated to the memory of sixty thousand Canadians who gave their lives in the titanic struggle which ended eighteen years ago. Privately, and in appropriate public ceremonies throughout the Dominion, tribute will be paid by a mindful and a grateful people to the sacrifices these, our fellow-countrymen, made that freedom should not perish.

The world has not entered into the peace and security they hoped to win for it. The countries with which and against which they fought still echo the tramp of armies. All over Europe the spirit of intense nationalism dominates politics and embitters international relationships. In a world that was to be made safe for democracy, the apprehension of war is stronger than the expectation of peace.

For this no shadow of fault rests with those who fought and died. The blame is with those living, who have not turned their hopes into realities. They gave the "last full measure of devotion" and for that we remember them in sadness but also in pride. They quit themselves like men, in the hour of danger, at the call of duty. Their memory shall not fade, nor their example count for naught.

Poppy Day

Poignant reminder of those spacious days of glory and grieving, "Poppy Day" once more recurs to prompt the citizens of this country in the duties they have inherited from the past generation. To Canadian youth in this year of grace, the deep-red petals of the Poppy may not carry the same significance they bore to the youth of eighteen years ago. The symbolism of sacrifice with which the Poppy has become charged is something to which the present generation succeeds only through the vivid memories of the graying men, who fought their country's battles, triumphed amid surroundings carpeted with Poppies.

To wear this humble emblem on Poppy Day is to proclaim that amid all the jangling confusion through which this country is striving valiantly to penetrate the heart and mind are nevertheless attuned to a sense of homage due those men whose patriotism inspired 600,000 Canadians to offer themselves for service between 1914 and 1918; of that number more than 60,000 found graves in France and Belgium. And it is over those graves that the Poppy blows in perennial bloom.

The numbered dead were not strangers. They were young Canadians, filled even as the youth of today is filled, with the joy of living. So also were the 170,000 men who in 1936 bear upon their bodies the marks and scars of war—the disabled ex-service men who suffered disablement on behalf of Canada.

To manifest that proud recognition of their place in this country, to mark that tribute which is their due, Poppy Day has been set aside in order that all may join in recalling the Great Sorrow.

The blood-red emblems distributed throughout Canada by the Canadian Legion's vast volunteer organization are the product of disabled veterans, men striving to maintain themselves in the Veterans' shops administered by the Dominion government. To purchase a Poppy is a small thing. For every citizen to do so is a big thing. Let us all wear a Poppy on Poppy Day!

The Fixed
Wheat Price

(Medicine Hat News)

Time and same farmer opinion will, we believe, says the Moose Jaw Times Herald, justify as wisdom the decision of the Canadian Wheat Board and the Federal government in respect to a fixed minimum wheat price of 87½ cents, basis No. 1 Northern in store at Fort William. The price of wheat is not fixed at this figure. This is a fixed minimum price, and does not become effective at all unless and until the closing price for No. 1 Northern (Fort William) should go below 90 cents; in which event the minimum fixed price of 87½ cents becomes effective immediately. According to the statement issued by the Wheat Board "this fixed price would then be effective for the balance of the crop year, and irrespective of subsequent

fluctuations in the open market, the grower could deliver wheat to the board."

It is clearly a "stop-loss" wheat policy, which assures the wheat grower the advantages of an open wheat market, which will help restore confidence and co-operation of the wheat buying nations and re-establish the wheat trade.

Should the Dominion government at this time fix the price of wheat and buy up the crop above the world market price, the resentment of wheat buying nations would be re-awakened and Canada would be left with large surpluses of wheat in store, which would depress the market and pile up huge storage charges, to the advantage of all elevator companies—the Pool elevators included. The experience of 1931-34 would be repeated, but in greater degree, because Canada would put herself in worse light than ever with her best customers whose business goodwill and confidence the present government and Wheat Board is determined to nourish and cultivate.

THE WORLD OF WHEAT

By H. G. L. Strange, Director,
"Crop Testing Plan."

Canadian wheat is seldom used abroad as the main ingredient in making a loaf of bread.

The European loaf generally is made from native wheats. Such bread is nutritious, of good flavor, but is not very palatable; the loaf is small and heavy, not very attractive nor appealing.

When, however, as little as fifteen per cent of "Manitoba" is mixed with native wheats an almost magical change takes place; the loaf now becomes large, attractive, rather moist, of even silky texture with a crumb that is elastic and of very light cream color; it has a nutty flavor, is palatable and also has a thin good golden-brown crust.

European people like this improved bread when they can obtain it and when they can afford it.

It is the inherent quality found in good Canadian varieties, and in a few other wheats, called "strength"—meaning quantity and quality of gluten—that is capable of bringing about this decided improvement in the European loaf.

Canadian wheat today is the "strongest" wheat in commerce. This is the only reason why foreign millers require it. It seems, therefore, that we must continually strive to maintain this superior "strength" of "quality" in our wheat if the world is to continue to "want" it.

Wheat prices have recently been pushed up by the following influences: Poor conditions persist in Australia; Fear of war in Europe continues; Chinese cotton crop largest on record, giving increased purchasing power; Construction increasing in world, demanding more limited oil and more flour, hence probable decreased wheat acreage; many countries lowering tariffs permitting additional wheat imports.

Prices have been pushed down by:

Latest statistics world wheat shortage less than previously estimated; Poor conditions in Argentina improving; Exports of wheat occurring from unexpected countries; Japanese dry bean crop shows decided increase; European hog population five per cent increase over last year; European fruit crop expected to be larger than last year.

From the Manchester Guardian we clip the following:
 Confidential Memorandum on the
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 Deduct number of unemployed in nation 13,999,998

Number remaining to produce nation's goods 2
 Just You and Me—And I'm Getting Tired.

A gossip is a person who talks to you about others; a bore is one who talks to you about himself; a brilliant conversationalist is one who talks to you about yourself.

The pharmacy blurb so often seen On the girl who has danced till dawn, Is the same as painting the hare ground green And saying you have a lawn.

THE ROTARY PLAN OF MONETARY REFORM.

BY W. H. COLLIER

(Reprinted from The Viking News, Viking, Alberta.)

Widespread unemployment over the whole country is the one great problem in Canada and with its solution many minor problems will disappear. And the main cause of unemployment, if not the only one, is the idleness of money or purchasing power. A tremendous amount of purchasing power has been accumulating in bank deposits and in public securities and a very small part of it is being used at any time. Fully 98% of it is being held continuously idle and the direct connection between this idle purchasing power and unemployment can be clearly established.

Let us assume that I have \$10,000 deposited in a bank. I have complete control of the use of that money and I am the only one who has. It is bank-money but the bank after crediting me with it in my deposit account has no further control over it. I alone can either use it or hold it idle. If I make use of it in any way, either to purchase goods or services, or to invest it in the production of more goods, I will create employment for others. Yet, I am not obliged by any laws or rules to use my money and may hold it idle for a day, a year or for my lifetime. But, as there are other people seeking employment and since by using my money I will create employment for them, therefore, so long as I hold it idle I cause them unemployment.

There are over four million deposit accounts in our chartered banks and each of the owners of those accounts can do the same as I. Each one can either hold his money idle or use it. Therefore, each one is responsible for some unemployment.

Similarly, it can be shown that each owner of public securities is holding purchasing power idle and, therefore, is responsible for some unemployment.

Government statistics show that there is approximately eight billion dollars of purchasing power owned by individuals and corporations in Canada in the two forms of bank deposits and public securities and; as stated previously, fully 98% of it is being held continuously idle. As our public debt grows so does idle purchasing power. During the past six years the public debt increased at an average rate of \$300,000,000 a year and idle purchasing power has accumulated to the same extent.

In order to do away with most of the unemployment in Canada it is only necessary to stop the growth of our public debt and at the same time for the government to make use of a very small percentage of the idle purchasing power that has already accumulated. It is to this end that the Rotary Plan for Monetary Reform has been developed. The Plan is based upon facts and common sense and requires only four major changes to be made in our present monetary system.

THE ROTARY PLAN

1. Partially nationalize the chartered banks to the extent at least of limiting the rate of dividends to be paid to bank shareholders and all surplus profits of the banks to be paid over to the government yearly.

2. The federal government to issue sufficient treasury notes bearing a fixed rate of interest of, say 2% per annum and "sell" them to the banks thus creating bank-money with which to redeem all public securities now outstanding, federal, provincial and municipal. That is, all present public securities will be refunded by a single issue of 2% federal treasury notes to be held exclusively by the banks. The present holders of the public securities will be paid off with bank-money which will be created from the treasury notes, and the present securities cancelled.

3. All future "borrowings" for public purposes to be direct from the banks by means of the 2% treasury notes. No other securities to be issued and "sold" by any governing body in Canada, and the treasury notes to be sold only to the banks.

4. The federal government to maintain a combined service and demurrage charge of, to begin with, one-half of one per cent (½%) per quarter on all bank deposits and the revenue therefrom to be applied to the following three specific purposes:

- Public works and emergency relief.
- Old age pensions.
- Redeeming of the treasury notes.

The rate of charge to be varied and fixed from time to time by the economic council.

With these four major changes in our present monetary system the total quantity of money or purchasing power to be used in Canada will be brought under complete control of the federal government or of an economic council representing all governing bodies in Canada.

After the refunding process has been completed there will be approximately (\$8,000,000,000) eight billion dollars of deposits or bank-money in the chartered banks.

On the first day of January, April, July and October of each year the banks will debit every deposit account one-half of one per cent (½%) and credit it to the Government Account which will give the government an aggregate revenue of approximately \$40,000,000 per quarter.

ter. For the first year let us assume that the government will use \$30,000,000 per quarter on the construction of public works and the balance, \$10,000,000, for emergency relief and old age pensions, and not use any of the revenue as yet to redeem treasury notes.

This \$40,000,000 of revenue is all bank-money and will rotate within the banking system. The government will disburse it by cheques during the quarter in paying for labor, services and materials in the construction of the public works and in relief for old age pensions. The money will pass through all the ordinary channels of trade, retailers, wholesalers, producers, and will inevitably return to general deposit accounts. The banks will simply record the transferring of the money, first, in the collecting of revenue, from the general deposit accounts to the Government account, and second, in the disbursing of it, from the Government account back to the general deposit accounts. At the end of the quarter there will be the full \$8,000,000,000 again in the deposit accounts, the \$40,000,000 having been used only for the quarter. The same rotating of the \$40,000,000 will take place each quarter.

The charge of ½% per quarter does not mean a charge of 2% per year against deposit accounts because the \$40,000,000 taken out at the beginning of a quarter is returned to deposit accounts before the next \$40,000,000 is taken out. The money is rotated quarterly.

What will the Rotary Plan do?

- Over \$250,000,000 will be saved each year in interest charges on the public debt which will result in taxes all over Canada being lowered by from 25% to 40%.
- All holders of public securities will have their principal paid back without any repudiation.
- There will be \$120,000,000 of new public works added to the wealth of the nation the first year and many millions each year thereafter without adding one dollar to the public debt, without printing any new money and without any taxation.
- There will be hundreds of millions of dollars of new wealth created by individual initiative through opportunities made possible by the public works.
- Every man and woman between the ages of 21 and 60 may be kept employed at good wages earning their own living.
- Every man and woman over 60 may be paid an adequate pension to enjoy life the rest of their days without working if they wish to do so.
- The growth of the public debt will be permanently stopped. Public budgets will always be kept balanced and the debt will be gradually reduced to an amount deemed advisable by the economic council.

Fuller particulars and explanations of the Rotary Plan are described in a booklet which has been published by the author.
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LOANS for HOME IMPROVEMENT

Under the new provisions in respect to
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The Bank of Montreal is co-operating in the plan announced by the Dominion Government for assisting home owners who wish to renovate, modernize or otherwise improve their homes, and it is now prepared to make loans to property owners under the new provisions of the Dominion Housing Act. Briefly, the provisions regarding home improvement loans are:

- Maximum loan on one property — \$2,000.
- Discount — Charge equal to \$3.25 per \$100. of the face value of the note, for one year, payable in advance. Repayment by monthly instalments.
- Loans to be used solely for improving and repairing existing property, and not for building on vacant land. Improvements include all such work as new plumbing, remodeling of rooms, installation of furnace, painting, roofing, etc. Fixtures, which are not removable attachments or appliances, are considered improvements.
- No endorses are required.
- Loans made to owners only. Properties on which loans may be made include: private homes, duplexes, small apartment houses, farm-houses and combination store and dwelling houses.
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WHY HE BECAME A PROHIBITIONIST

An Incident in the Life of the Late
Rudyard Kipling

(Material Supplied by Viking
W.C.T.U.)

The writings of the late Rudyard Kipling are not particularly noted for their advocacy of temperance, but there came a time when this celebrated author became disgusted with the liquor traffic. Here is a vivid account of his conversion to prohibition, told by himself, as recorded in a recent issue of "The Canadian Temperance Advocate":

"The other side of the evening was a horror. The little tragedy played itself out at a neighboring table where two very young men and two very young women were sitting. It did not strike me till far into the evening that the pimply young reprobates were making the girls drunk. They gave them red wine and then white, and the voices rose slightly with the maiden's cheek flushes. I watched, and the youths drank until their speech thickened and their eyeballs grew watery. It was sickening to see because I knew what was going to happen.

"They got indubitably drunk—there in that noble music hall, surrounded by the best Buffalo society. One could do nothing except invoke the judgment of heaven on the two boys, themselves half sick with liquor. At the close of the performance, the quieter maiden laughed vacantly and protested she couldn't keep her feet. The four linked arms and, staggering, flickered out into the street, drunk. They disappeared down a side avenue, but I could hear their laughter long after they were out of sight.

"And they were all four children of sixteen and seventeen. Then, recanting previous opinions, I became a prohibitionist. Better it is that a man should go without his beer in public places and content himself with swearing at the narrow-mindedness of the majority; better to buy lager furiously at back doors, than to bring temptation to the lips of young fools such as the four I had seen. I understand now why the preachers rage against drink. I have said, 'There is no harm in it, taken moderately,' and yet my own decent, sober beer helped indirectly to send those two girls reeling down the dark street to—God alone knows what end. 'It is not good that we should let liquor lie before the eyes of children, and I have been a fool in writing to the contrary.'

Soup A Few Noodles by Tun

Squalls often save wrecks on the matrimonial sea, says a careful observer.

A husband found some holes in his socks and said, "Wife dear, why haven't you mended these?"

"Honey, darling, did you buy me that fur coat you promised?"

"No."

"Well, if you don't give a wrap, I don't give a darn."

Lives of great men all remind us
Honest men don't have no chance,
For as we work there grow behind us
Larger patches on our pants.
On our pants once new and glossy
Now are stripes of different hue.

All because our patrons finger
And do not send us what is due.
Let us then be up and doing,
Send us your mite, however small,
Else when the snows of winter strike
us

We won't have no pants at all.

A country editor in a neighboring town died at his post of duty recently and the coroner found that his death was probably due to the following effort he had made to properly write up a beautiful wedding in the family of one of his delinquent subscribers: "With a heart as a dew-drop that trembles on the violet of a summer morn, she will make the home of her husband a paradise of enchantment like the lovely home of her girlhood, and where the heavy-toned harp of marriage with its love chords of devotion and fond endearments, sends forth the sweetest strains that ever thrilled the senses with the rhythmic pulsings of ecstatic rapture."

An Edinburgh Lethario was boasting to a neighbor who lived in the same large tenement of houses as himself that he had kissed every woman in the building except one.

The neighbor, boiling with jealousy, went straight home and reported the incident to his wife, saying with a suspiciously inquiring glance at his spouse:

"I wonder, Maggie, who the woman is the rascal hasn't kissed?"

"Oh," was the reply, "I suppose it will be that stuck-up Mistress Macintosh on the third floor!"

Here and There

Outstanding success has attended the publication of J. Murray Gibson's book, "Steel of Empire," in which is told the history of transportation in this country. The first edition of this comprehensive and finely illustrated work on Canada's history was sold early and another is now out in preparation for sale as Christmas gifts, for which it is anticipated there will be a heavy demand.

Effective January 1, 1937, contributory pensions for Canadian Pacific employees will replace the 33-year-old non-contributory system. Since the latter system's inception in 1903, the railway has paid out \$18,201,640 in pensions. Under the new plan, officers and employees will contribute three per cent of their wages or salaries. Pension rates will be unchanged and pensioning age will be the same as heretofore.

Twenty-three arrivals from British and continental ports and twenty-three departures by Canadian Pacific liners will constitute the passenger service from Saint John and Halifax during the coming winter season. It is announced from company headquarters. Season will commence November 23 and close in mid-April.

Alan M. Irwin, of Montreal, has been awarded one of the Pamphile Lemaire prizes for his book "and ships—and sealing-wax," which was announced recently by Quebec Provincial Secretary Paquette. The book, written during a cruise around the world in the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Britain, received the only English award in the Lemaire prize list, "and ships—and sealing-wax," which is published in Macmillan's, deals with the lighter side of cruising, and is a valuable, if informal, aid to would-be travellers.

Two Canadian Pacific scholarships at L'Ecole Polytechnique and L'Ecole des Hautes Etudes Commerciales respectively have been awarded to Gilbert Proulx, 18, son of Arthur Proulx, warehouseman, C. P. Express Company, Montreal; and Roger Bussière, 19, son of Philias Bussière, trucker and checker, Place Viger freight offices, Montreal. Each is tenable for five years.

J. C. Patterson, who succeeds Sir George McLaren Brown, European general manager, Canadian Pacific Railway, London, England, with the title of European manager, is now in London, Ont., and educated at the Model School, Toronto; Ridley College, St. Catharines; and the Royal Military College, Kingston, and served overseas with the Canadian Field Artillery from June, 1916, to September, 1919. During 1935 Mr. Patterson was general agent in Toronto for the steamship department and has also held the positions of assistant general agent, New York; general agent, passenger department, Philadelphia; and general agent, steamship department, Chicago.

The annual competition sponsored by the Canadian Travel Bureau, Canadian Pacific and Canadian National Railways, for the most beautiful and for the largest maple leaves is now open to the public. The leaves must be gathered in Canada and sent from a Canadian point. Prizes totaling \$215 will be distributed as follows:— Most beautiful leaf, \$100, \$40, \$20, \$10 and \$5. Largest leaf, \$30 and \$10. Contest closes November 1 and entries should be forwarded express paid to Canada's Maple Leaf Contest, P.O. Box 2550, Montreal.

CANADA'S first complete semi-streamlined air-conditioned train, built for the Canadian Pacific Railway, now in operation with four units in different parts of the Dominion, has been placed on inspection at a number of points across the country and has aroused high praise and enthusiasm on the part of the hundreds of thousands of Canadians who have seen it. In Montreal alone 60,000 spectators went through it in the four days it was on inspection at the Windsor station and the same interest was displayed everywhere else. These units will be in operation between Toronto and Detroit, Montreal and Quebec, and Edmonton and Calgary.

Prime Minister Mackenzie King and other delegates to the League of Nations Conference at Geneva sailed from Quebec in September in the Canadian Pacific flagship Empress of Britain. Accompanying the Premier was Hon. Raoul Dandurand, Government leader in the Senate and Hon. Norman Rogers, Minister of Labor.

Captain George Gould, new skipper of the Empress of Russia, made his first trip as master of the vessel early in September. It is his first command of a Pacific Empress, though he has served the fleet in all official capacities from fourth officer to staff-captain during the past 23 years.

Last of three motor parties visiting Canada this year, 14 British automobilists arrived recently at Quebec on the Empress of Britain. The motorcade under the organizer, Graham Lyons, drove from Quebec to Montreal and will visit Ottawa, Toronto, London, Detroit, Cleveland, Washington and New York.

SPORTS

(With snow lifting down the neck and the wind loaded with ice-bugs, marking the borders of the B.V.D.'s, it is very difficult to work up pep over any sport but that of tossing marshmallows before a glowing radiant. This in-between season leaves one flat after the excitement of the baseball classic, and not excited over the winter sports. Ever have a corn, and then chillblains?)

Those rugby contests, on icy fields even, somehow attract more rolling nickels over the ticket counter than any other game. In Winnipeg on Monday 5500 jammed the stadium to see the Regina Riders approach the championship. Over in the States immense crowds attend such games. At Ann Arbor in Michigan 50,000 will pay \$2.30 each to watch the university boys outwit or outmuscle their opponents. Rugby there attracts such a flock of rolling nickels that it pays for all the other sports of the college.

The Commercial Grads have seen plenty of changes add the years roll around. Three of their best players are leaving the floor, after having their skill and labor of years rewarded by a trip to Europe. The names of Gladys Fry, Babe Belanger and Doris Neale are covered with glory. Yet Percy Page has been training others to take their places. Will they do it? The Grads seem to survive the loss of key players year after year. Page must be the reason.

It is rather odd that the Rangers have had several pairs of brothers on their line-up. The latest addition is the Colville kids from Edmonton. To hop from the ice-ponds of Alberta to the great ice palaces of the East, means far more than mere honor. The boys will hear the rattle of silver cartwheels as they roll the bank. It's a big fun but it's big business too.

Fred Perry has won everything in amateur tennis honors. Now they dangle a contract for \$50,000 for two years professional play, and he hesitates. (Some of this amateur stuff looks phoney of course. When Perry played in Detroit we paid just as much to see him play as though he were a professional. The word "Expenses" covers a lot. He and Don Budge flew from New York, and those long hops by air cost plenty. Those chaps could sure handle a racket easily, while putting terrific power behind most of the strokes.)

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N.E. 19-49-9-4.
N.E. 19-49-9-4.
N.W. 26-49-9-4.
S.W. 28-49-9-4.
W. ¼ 85-49-9-4.
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S.W. 30-49-8-4.
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Selecting Municipal Representation

With the near approach of the annual municipal elections in urban centres and rural districts throughout the prairie provinces, the time has arrived when citizens might well devote some serious thought to the type of men (or women) who should represent them in the local councils during the coming year.

While at all times the question of the quality of representation on municipal councils is one of considerable importance, this year it is one of much magnitude, partly on account of the difficulties of local government occasioned by problems arising out of the depression and partly because of the restlessness of the changing times and changing viewpoints, particularly on social and economic problems.

From small but vociferous minorities one hears of suggestions and plans for changes which, if put into effect, might constitute a threat to the continued existence of democratic government in this country and there is always a danger, under a democratic form of government, of minority groups imposing their will on the majority, if the majority are apathetic about the conduct of their own affairs.

For this reason, if for no other, it is highly important that the citizens of this country take an active and intelligent interest in their own business—the business of government, whether it be in the local councils, the provincial legislature or the wider Federal arena.

It is unfortunately the case that sometimes municipal election issues are decided by a comparatively small percentage of the electorate because so many refrain from going to the polls to express their desires through the ballot. If this results in the election of representatives unacceptable to the majority and the imposition of policies inimical to their interests those who refrain from casting their ballots on election day have no "come-back" and deserve none.

To many it may seem that local affairs are of little importance. They appear trivial when matched with provincial issues or Federal policies and this misapprehension sometimes leads to an attitude of nonchalance on the part of a section of the electorate.

On the contrary, however, it should be remembered that despite the fact that local municipal units are the creation and, therefore, the creatures of a superior government, nevertheless local self-government is the bulwark of the people and of all government, and with the extension of activities and authority imposed upon municipal councils in recent years is becoming increasingly so.

Not only that, but in many matters closely affecting the lives and welfare of the citizens of the country, the major governments have adopted the custom of seeking the advice and assistance of local municipal representatives in an increasingly large measure. They regard them, properly, as the mouthpiece of the district they serve and more often than not defer to their wishes.

For this reason, as well as the necessity of having men capable of administering local affairs wisely, it is highly important that the municipal electors use care and sound judgment in selecting the men who are to represent them in the councils, that all the electors participate in the function of casting the ballot and that once having made their selection the electors support their representatives as long as they prove worthy of the high trust imposed in them.

If the great majority of the electors take these duties seriously, less will be heard of trivial matters being injected into municipal election campaigns and municipal council debates and there is less likelihood that elected representatives will listen to insistent demands of organized minorities or individuals who seek concessions or make proposals adverse to the interests of the great rank and file of the electorate.

One sometimes hears it stated that it is difficult or impossible to induce the best-fitted to accept nomination for public office. If that is so, it must largely be the fault of the percentage of the electorate who decline to take an active interest in their own affairs, both in the matter of selecting candidates and in giving them hearty support in devising and carrying out measures and policies for the benefit of the community as a whole.

Such comments are not, of course, applicable to all municipalities, and perhaps not even to a majority of them. In many cities, towns, villages and rural municipalities in the three prairie provinces, the electorate demonstrates a highly intelligent and active interest in its own affairs, and as a result their business is conducted wisely and well by capable men and men of integrity who justly command a respect and confidence which is not confined to the communities they serve.

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Dale is a dog who has done such remarkable work in solving a number of crimes in the Calgary district that he has won honorable mention in the Royal Canadian Mounted Police annual report, just off the press. It takes a full page in the report to describe the dog's exploits. Here are a few of the cases in which Dale distinguished himself.

Eileen Simpson, two and a half years old, wandered away from her home. A search party failed to find her. Dale was called in and did. Under difficult conditions Dale helped police in connection with the murder of Sergeant T. S. Wallace and Constable G. C. Harrison by Joe Pomikoff, Peter Wolkien and John Kalmakoff, who were killed themselves in gun battles with the police. Dale traced a demented man who caused an explosion in a farmer's house from a gasoline saturated suit of underwear found at the cellar door. The same farmer had lost two rolls of wire netting. Dale was taken to the place from which the netting was removed. He picked up the scent, found the wire and led to the arrest and conviction of the thief. But Dale is ornamental as well as useful. He took first prize in his class at the Calgary dog show.

WAKE UP YOUR LIVER BILE—

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The liver should pour out two pounds of liquid bile into your bowels daily. If this bile is not flowing freely, your food doesn't digest. It just decays in the bowels. Gas builds up your stomach. You get constipated. Harmful poisons go into the body, and you feel sour, sick and the world looks ugly.

A mere bowel movement doesn't "always get the acids." You need something that works on the liver as well. It takes those good, old Carter's Little Liver Pills to get those two pounds of bile flowing freely and make you feel "up and up." Get some and see how they make the bile flow freely. They do the work that no other pills can do. They are not medicine. Ask for Carter's Little Liver Pills by name! Stomachily refuse anything else. See

Supplies Reach Coppermine

Hudson's Bay Boat Gets Through The Ice After Difficulties

Relieving anxiety which has lasted for months, supplies have finally reached Coppermine, principal base in the Central Arctic, according to reports reaching Edmonton. Blocked for weeks by huge ice floes in the Arctic the schooner Audrey B., under charter to the Hudson's Bay Company, carrying supplies to the trading posts, has finally made its way through the ice of Coronation Gulf, reached Coppermine, and now is frozen in at that point.

Owners of the schooner, Jack Lickert, Bill Storr, Art Watson and "Slim" Purnell have sent word of their safe passage and a radio telegraph message to this effect has reached Edmonton.

The other Hudson's Bay supply ship made Coppermine safely on October 6. Aboard her was Ray Ross, company post manager of Reid Island, and his bride, the former Miss Lillian Smith of Edmonton.

No Campaign Speeches

Alaskan Woman Is Elected By Visiting Voters By Aeroplane

Alaskan first woman legislator, Flying Nell Scott, was elected without making a single campaign speech. The Selkirk woman's aerial campaign ignored both political practice and traditions of feminine tactfulness. She let her masculine opponents have the first and last word, while she took the votes. She covered the district in an aeroplane, having heart to heart talks with individual voters and key persons in organizations. Her platform was based on popular Alaskan issues: Abolition of fish traps; enactment of social security legislation; financial aid to prospectors; substantial bounties on predatory animals, and more and better aeroplane landing fields.

Streamlined steam locomotives constructed for an eastern railroad have fins around their smokestacks to deflect the smoke upward to give the engineers the best visibility at all times.

The music of "America" also is the music of the national anthem of the British Empire, Denmark and Switzerland.

Sydney, Australia, will spend \$3,500,000 on the city railway. An Englishman invented matches 100 years ago.

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Letter Of Thanks

Mayor Of French City Voices Gratitude For Gift From Canadians

The pilgrimage of Canadian ex-servicemen and their dependents to Vimy Ridge during the summer was recalled by receiving a letter of thanks from Mayor Milot, of Valenciennes to Lieut.-Col. J. S. Rankin, D.S.O., former commanding officer of the 45th (South Saskatchewan) battalion.

The letter, voiced the gratitude of the city for the vellum-bound copy of the operation order covering the attack on Valenciennes on November 1, 1918, in which affair the late Sergeant Hugh Cairns of the battalion, won the Victoria Cross.

The day prior to the unveiling of the Canadian Memorial on Vimy Ridge the city of Valenciennes dedicated a street to the memory of Hugh Cairns, and in the course of the ceremony Major G. H. Gilbert, M.C., Yorkton, Sask., on behalf of the 46th Battalion, presented to Mayor Milot the copy of the operation order.

In his letter the mayor said this document was now translated into French, and had been placed in the municipal library "in order that the citizens of Valenciennes might know to whom they are indebted for their deliverance."

Substitute For Gasoline

Amateur Chemist Says Invention Will Benefit The World

An obscure Pittsburgh inventor and interior decorator, who likes to dabble in chemistry on the side, claims to have hit upon a secret formula from what he asserts he has developed a substitute for gasoline.

He believes his "discovery, which has not yet been put on the market, or been protected by patents, will revolutionize the gasoline industry." The amateur chemist is Frederick J. Hoyer, and as one example of the manner in which his "gas substitute" will benefit the world, says general use of his "gas" would greatly reduce, if not erase entirely, deaths from monoxide fume poisoning.

In a recent demonstration of his discovery, Hoyer, accompanied by his attorney, A. F. Burkhardt, and a reporter, drove a car with standard equipment fourteen and one-half miles on a gallon of ordinary gasoline, and one-tenth of a mile more on a gallon or what he said was his "gasoline substitute."

At the completion of the last demonstration, Burkhardt declared: "Well, as far as we are concerned, this new fuel is perfected."

SELECTED RECIPES

FRUIT OATMEAL COOKIES

1 cup brown sugar
1 cup white sugar
1/2 cup butter
2 eggs
1/2 cup currants
1 teaspoon soda
1 cup Purity Flour
3 cups oatmeal.

1/2 cup stoned dates, cut finely
Method: 1. Cream butter; add sugar. 2. Add well beaten-eggs, dates and currants. 3. Sift flour with soda and add to Mixture No. 2. 4. Lastly, add oatmeal; stir well. 5. Form into loaves, set in cool place, and bake in slow oven of 300 degrees for 15 minutes.

Drouth Danger

Little mentioned among the drought hazards to cattle is the possibility of the animals eating the hearty Sudan grass, cane or any kind of grain sorghum which, although stunted in growth by the dry weather, will stay green long after the normal feed grasses have withered. The Department of Agriculture reports that in eating these plants live stock may consume a deadly dose of hydrocyanic or prussic acid, present in the plants.

Argentina has greatly increased in peanut production this year.

A Precious Relic

Interesting History Of Coronation Chair At Westminster Abbey

While the work of preparing Westminster Abbey for the coronation next May is proceeding, one important relic at the Abbey will undergo no renovation, the Coronation Chair, according to a writer in the Manchester Guardian.

Except for dusting it requires nothing done to it, and it would not stand much. The famous stone of Scone—and it had a history in Ireland before it was taken to Scone—has a wide crack which all but rent its solid mass asunder, and iron rings encase the chair. It is not only age which has caused the wear and tear. Though every monarch since Edward I. has been crowned on it, the use it has undergone on those occasions has been negligible.

For a long period of its history it was very poorly looked after. Nearly everybody, it seems, was allowed to sit in it by permission of the attendants, or else did so on the sly. An inscription on it, "Peter Abbot slept in this chair, July 5th, 1800," is illuminating. Peter Abbot went into the Abbey at night for a bet that he would carve his name on Purcell's monument. He did not succeed in doing that, but he had no difficulty on the Coronation Chair. The surface of the chair is a mass of scratches made by visitors who wanted to leave their mark on it, and there must have been a time when every Westminster schoolboy deemed it a disgrace if he left school without carving his name on the Abbey's most precious relic.

U.S. Naval Strength

America's Naval Fighting Power Has Been Reduced

An official report disclosed that America's naval fighting power had been reduced since July 1 while other major nations were increasing theirs.

The figures, made public by the navy department, showed the United States, chiefly by scrapping old warships in accordance with provisions of the soon-to-expire London treaty, had cut its naval strength from 324 ships of 1,000 tons to 306 ships aggregating 1,062,875 tons.

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CHAPTER VIII.—Continued

That was Starr Ellison's deadly fascination—the thousand and one contradictions in her volatile personality that made Michael Fairbourne certain that it had been nothing less than inspiration which had led him to concoct that story about her having Egyptian princess ancestry. He was probably right, without having known it, except by inspiration. If truth were told, she probably had come straight down in a direct line from the sirene of all sirens. It would not have been hard to persuade Michael that Cleopatra herself had sent along her blood—and her allure—through the centuries to the girl-woman who called herself Starr Ellison.

Michael stared down the long room at Lance Marlowe's guests. In the group, clustered near the flickering fire on the hearth Starr was almost hidden by the men who surrounded her. Motha, Stephanie called them. And Michael Fairbourne realized suddenly, with an attempt at mental castigation, that he was no better than the rest. He felt an uncontrollable impulse to follow wherever she went. But he had no intention of joining that crowd. He would not. At least he could keep his self-respect to that extent. So he remained on the fringe, a dark and angry mott, watching.

The group parted when someone called for fresh cocktails, and Michael saw Starr. Her exotic beauty was like a flame. She was wearing a startling costume this day—which was Russian in effect. It was all black and scarlet with little bands of fur around the throat. She carried a ridiculous little black muff of the same astrakhan that appeared to serve her for gesturing purposes as well as the function of a Spanish woman, or any of the well known props. Her dusky cloud of hair, beneath a tiny scarlet hat, fell almost to her shoulders.

No one but Starr Ellison would have dared wear an outfit like that, and she knew it. Her clothes were like breath-taking as her conduct. She long since had got out of hand with Michael who at first had considered it his duty to take her shopping. Starr had ideas of her own, and she had not hesitated to let him know it. He could pay the bill—and did—but hers was the selection.

Her eyes met Michael's, and they held each other's for a strange, long moment. The girl who was the toast of a city, and the man who had made her what she was.

They had not spoken to each other intimately since their fare-up in the ballroom at Pierre's the night of Starr's debut, just about two weeks before. No longer did Michael come to the penthouse apartment and the living room with the muslin-covered windows for consultations or intimate chat. That was all over. Their meetings since the party had been brief and few, and those had been tinged with bittersome and deadly barbs of caustic wit. Their defiance against each other left steel daggers always drawn, just beneath the surface. Not even an armed truce. That one long look from gray eyes to black... Suddenly Starr felt her little group of satellites. A freakish impulse led her to Michael. A provocative slant of those deep-fringed eyes swept the tall, stern-faced man. She stood in front of him, her black eyes lifted to his face. She said suddenly:

"You're elected to take me home, Has—Michael!"

A stiffness crept over his big frame.

"May I ask why?" he said, his tone itself challenging. Starr said insolently:

"Because you're the most miserable-looking man present, and you need thawing out." She spread her hands and laughed. "Besides, everybody else is tight, and some of them might have the idea they could drive."

When he did not reply directly, the imperious "Play-Girl" commanded: "Hurry! I've barely enough time to get home and slip into a bath and some sort of a dress for Tod Ranger's party at the Mayfair tonight."



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It might have meant yes—or no—or perhaps.

Michael quivered suddenly with black rage. He had not missed the obvious. For Starr to change, to dress here, certainly meant that there would be here something more for her to dress in than Lance Marlowe's pajamas. Why? Was it true, then, what people were whispering about her? Why should she have a wardrobe, or any part of it, here? How many times had she stayed here with Lance?

He burst out savagely: "You can keep your accommodations, Marlowe. I'll take her home."

Lance's thin eyebrows rose. "All in fun, Mike, old chap—Don't get the wind up."

And immediately Michael Fairbourne was conscious of having made a transcendental ass of himself, by being serious when everybody else in the place was ragging. The ripple of amusement grew to a chorus which dinned in his ears. Michael clenched his fists. Starr was laughing more amusedly than any of them.

Michael was glum and silent as they rode down in the elevator. In silence he helped her into his roadster, got in and jammed down the starter. Starr leaned back against the upholstery and snuggled down comfortably in her seat, but her head was doing a queer little kind of pounding dance. From the corner of her eyes she glanced toward the clean-cut profile of the man beside her, admiring, in spite of all the will power she could bring to bear on that subject, the cut of his lean, strongly molded, set jaw; his firm, tanned features. Why did he have to be so unreasonably attractive?

"Don't be more of an idiot than you can help," she was telling herself sternly. "This is a business arrangement, and you certainly ought to know it by now."



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gathering dusk and the maze of traffic with vicious speed.

For a second Starr closed her eyes. Her delicate cameo profile was so white, except for the too-bright coloring of her defiant young mouth.

"And I am making you very rich, Michael-Hansen?"

It was the first time since the night of the debut party that she had mentioned their bargain.

He said stiffly, without moving his gaze from straight ahead:

"In the last few days the sales of my book have jumped amazingly, thanks to you!"

"Thanks to my complete lack of reticence as regards the public airing of my love affairs, you mean?" she corrected him brazenly.

The line of his hard-gripped jaw was white.

"Starr! How can you?"

Her red lips, twisted ironically. That certainly was funny, coming from Michael Fairbourne—the man who had been so insistent in saying once: "All I ask is that you keep your name in the headlines—I don't care how."

Well, she had done that for him. The name was becoming as familiar to the reading public as the weather report. In just the short time since she had swept onto the New York horizon like a brilliant meteor, she had blazed her mad, reckless way through highly colorful escapades which could not be ignored—they were news. She had accomplished what she had set out to do, too, as far as she herself was concerned. Her metamorphosis was complete. Starr Ellison was lost—she was all "Play-Girl!" It had not taken long, and now she was pulling the strings. Men were her puppets.

Michael was saying roughly: "What's happened to you, Starr Ellison? You've grown into something shallow, and unreal, like a lot of vivid color painted on glass!"

"Play-Girl!" laughed. She echoed: "Vivid color painted on glass! How clever of you, Michael-Hansen. I must remember to tell that to Lance. He'll think it too divine and pass it around as he has passed that so brilliant remark of mine about my insatiable appetite for balshahish!"

Suddenly his anger got the better of him. His eyes blazed as his hands tightened on the wheel until the knuckles showed white.

"Lance!" he spat out. "Look here, Starr, I never intended for you to carry out this thing, this far. What I may have thought about you at first—well, I've changed my mind."

Do you realize what people are hinting about you?"

And then Starr was angry, too. A deep, bitter anger. The supreme arrogance of the man! She flared:

"What right have you to tell me where I shall start, and where I shall leave off? The only interest you can possibly have is in whether I keep my name before the public or not—that was distinctly your bargain! I'm doing that—plenty! I'll carry it all as far as I please! It's none of your business! Yes, I know what people are saying—that I am Lance's mistress!"

She turned to meet the full glare of his gray eyes as the speed of the car slackened momentarily. She spoke impudently:

"Well, what do you think?"

Michael looked long at the veiled slant of her eyes at the mocking silence of her mouth. Then he studied the almost childlike curve of her white throat against the dark fur, and reflected on the everlasting contradiction of her, as if in very truth she were the siren type of another day which his own press work had made her in the eyes of the public.

He said hoarsely: "I don't know. I don't know what to think about you at all—in any way. I wish to heaven I did!"

All at once a hot flood of words fell on her ears.

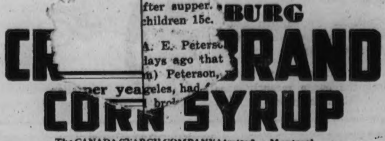
"I know, one thing about you: You're not the girl I thought you were when I first found you... If I'd had the faintest idea you were not, I'd never have let you in for this thing, in a million years. I thought—I thought—well, never mind what it just wasn't so, and if you'd ever loosened up maybe I'd know just why you were playing La Luna. I never mind that, either. What I do mind is now! What's happening to you since you've gone crazy with a little feeling power and adulation? Don't you ever give a thought to your future? Have you considered what will become of you when all this has worn off?"

"I think you warned me once before that 'Play-Girl' would not last forever," said Starr placidly, and her delicate shoulders shrugged. "I'm not worrying."

"You should be! When 'Play-Girl' is finished, where will your fair-weather friends be then—Lance Marlowe and all the rest? You

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But even as she watched every play of his features, saw the keenness of his gray eyes as they were set on the traffic, in her heart was one dull thought. If only things could be different!

Just looking at him gripped a pain around her heart that had never been there once in her life before she had met him. He was so alive and carelessly masterful and—different. In spite of the way he had acted as far as she was concerned, she could not force it from her mind that he was basically finer, more honorable, than any of the rest of that set he played around with. Certainly he was the only one who, so far, had not allowed the "mysterious" "Play-Girl" to twist him around her little finger whenever she chose. And that had been her whole intention.

Michael was still silent—furiously so. He cut his way through the very actions now may forever ruin your chance for any real future happiness!"

(To Be Continued)

Unprecedented Flying

American Experiments may Lead To Using Super-Transport Planes

A revolutionary change in air transportation with gigantic liners speeding across the United States thousands of feet above the attitude attained by present commercial planes is prearranged by experimental flights at Kansas City, Mo.

The tests are being conducted by Transcontinental and Western Air, Inc. The company is collecting scientific data regarding aeroplane performance, most under conditions and the feasibility of operating schedules at drastically higher altitudes than are now common.

Such knowledge is to be embodied in the construction of a new super-transport plane designed for regular operation on the company's coast-to-coast route.

When completed, such planes are expected to be capable of unprecedented performance at altitudes lofty enough to prevent interference from weather disturbances closer to the earth's surface.

Capt. D. W. Tomlinson piloted a laboratory plane to an attitude of 30,000 feet in 30 minutes in a recent experimental flight. From a temperature of 110 degrees at the airport, Tomlinson reported a precipitate plunge of the mercury until it touched 18 degrees below zero at the peak of his climb.

Tomlinson hopes to reach 45,000 feet. At that height, greater efficiency in performance will be noticeable and additional data will be obtained, he believes.

New trips into the troposphere and stratosphere are planned. Accompanying Tomlinson on the flight is an engineer, who keeps a record of the apparatus being tested for altitude efficiency. Automatic camera equipment photographs the entire instrument panel, and records on film the readings of all instruments at different altitudes.

The laboratory plane is equipped with heating and oxygen apparatus. Tomlinson wears a wire frame mask through which a small tube feeds him oxygen. A small microphone fastened to the mouthpiece of the mask enables him to report his progress from the plane by radio to a ground crew.

Susan R. Anthony, suffrage pioneer whose likeness is to appear on a new U.S. postage stamp, is the second woman so honored. The first was Martha Washington, wife of the first president.

New regular aircraft services of British railways are adding 11,000 miles weekly.

Interfering With Shipments

Spanish War Means Shortage Of Raisins From Valencia

The civil war in Spain is likely to have a disastrous effect on our Christmas puddings. Usually in September the first shipments of raisins are sent from Valencia, but this year most of the crops have been destroyed by the marching armies and only very small supplies of the fruit will be available. It was reported that a small shipment had left Spain, but London importers had no information about it. Even if the fruit is there it will be difficult for shipping companies will not allow their vessels to enter Spanish ports—Manchester Guardian.

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Little Helps For This Week

I will hear what God the Lord will speak; for He will speak peace unto His people. Psalm 85:3.

There is a voice, a still small voice of love, heard from above.

But not amidst the din of earthly sounds; By those withdrawn apart it best is heard.

And peace is breathed from every gentle word.

He speaks, but it is with us to hearken or not. It is everything not to turn away the ear, to be willing to hearken, not to drown His voice.

"The secret of the Lord is with them that fear Him." It is a secret voice, a still small voice, whispering to the inner ear. How can we hear it if we fill our ears and our hearts with the din of this world, its empty tumult, its excitement and anxieties, and its whirl of emptiness?

Necessity For Defence

Must Take Necessary Steps To Safeguard Our Heritage

"We are living in a fool's paradise if we think we can occupy half a continent, rich in vast resources, with only 10,000,000 people without our requiring sufficient physical protection to safeguard our heritage," Col. Harry S. Hamilton, K.C., Liberal M.P. for Fife, Scotland, told a local service club at Sault Ste. Marie as he urged the necessity of Canada protecting herself in an "expansion mad" world.

Canada needs a better defence policy and Canadian people must be awakened to this necessity, declared Col. Hamilton, first member of the Canadian expeditionary forces to be wounded in the Great War.

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Main Street

Rev. E. F. Kemp visited his family in the city this week.

Mr. John Ostad was a visitor in Edmonton the first part of this week.

Winter arrived this year about the same time and in much the same manner as last year.

Mrs. R. L. Simmermon has been confined to her bed since last Monday through illness.

Mr. John Hines moved last Tuesday into the house recently vacated by Mr. C. V. Hutchinson.

Mrs. J. W. Jack, of Clyde, Alta., is visiting her son, Fred and the Simmons family, this week.

Don't forget the Armistice service in Irma next Wednesday morning. Ex-service men are to go on parade at 10:30 a.m.

The Sharon Ladies' Aid are holding a hallowe'en supper at the church on November 12th. Also a short program for adults 35c, and children 15c.

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The November meeting of the Irma Ladies' Aid will be held at the home of Mrs. Osterhout on Thursday, November 12th. Mr. Kemp will give a paper on "Peace" at this meeting.

The theft of a quantity of grain belonging to Mr. Freeman Prosser was reported to the police a few days ago, who went to work on the case and it is understood were successful in locating the thieves.

Hallowe'en passed off here without any real damage being done, a few pieces of machinery and some crates, boxes and other movable articles were found decorating the streets the next morning. The most dangerous trick played was blocking the highway

which could have very easily caused a serious accident as the road was covered with snow and people travelling straight through usually keep to a fair rate of speed.

Mrs. Thos. Shaw received the sad news last Saturday of the death of her brother and his wife, Dr. and Mrs. Frank Armstrong, on the same day, October 26th, at their home in Fort Meyers, Florida. Dr. Armstrong was a great student and a hard worker and had done valuable research work, in fact was on the eve of perfecting a cure for arthritis and eczema at the time of his death. He also operated his own hospital in the town in which he lived. Dr. Arm-

strong had been in poor health since last summer, suffering from a stomach complaint which finally caused his death. Presumably worrying over her husband's condition caused Mrs. Armstrong to have a paralytic stroke and she died the same day. An only daughter, Sylvia, survives. Dr. Armstrong visited Mr. and Mrs. Shaw here in Irma about seventeen years ago. The sympathy of the district is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Shaw at this time.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to all those who so willingly assisted us and to those who contributed flowers at the time of our recent sad bereavement.

—Mrs. G. A. Matthews and family, Jarro, Alberta.

Talk about usury. The city of Edmonton collects one cent per month on all arrears of taxes. Mayor Clarke, endorsed by the social credit party for re-election, has something to answer for. Remember his speeches when he was campaigning against the Social Credit forces last year? How Joseph has changed.

NOTICE

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